## **Guidance on NCWorks Career Center Code of Conduct**



# Level 1-Unruly (Minor Infraction)

 Not submissive or conforming to the rules, ungoverned, turbulent, refractory or lawless

## **Consequences**: Counseling

Customer is reminded of the NCWorks Career Center Code of Conduct. Customer is asked to leave the NCWorks Career Center for the rest of the day. **Document (electronic or hard copy).** 

#### **Examples:**

- Misuse of NCWorks Resource Area
- Inappropriate or offensive attire
- Food and beverages in undesignated areas
- Unattended children
- Presence of pets other than certified service dogs
- Cell phone calls in the center (phones must remain on vibrate)
- Unaccompanied customers outside designated areas

# Level 2-Disrespectful (Moderate Infraction)

Lack of regard or respect for others and disrespect for authority

# **Consequences**: Suspension

Customer is prohibited from NCWorks Career Center usage for a minimum of one week but does not exceed 3 weeks. **Document (electronic or hard copy).** 

#### **Examples:**

- Verbal abuse of staff, other customers, repeated violations of the Code of Conduct
- Loud or aggressive verbal or physical behavior
- Viewing inappropriate websites while in the Career Center
- Smoking or use of tobacco products (including e-cigarettes)
- Non-job search computer and Wi-Fi use

## Level 3: Threatening/Violent (Serious Infraction)

- •Signs of unusually harmful or destructive physical force
- •Extremely powerful or forceful and capable of using physical force or violence
- Emotionally agitated to the point of using harmful physical force
- •Communicates a threat to harm or kill

# **Consequences:** Banishment

Customer will be prohibited from NCWorks Career Center use for a minimum of one month to lifetime banishment. **Document (electronic or hard copy) and issue a letter to customer via USPS certified mail.** 

## **Examples**:

- Customer or staff safety is at risk
- Verbal or physical threats (depending on severity)
- Possession of weapon of any description
- Illegal drug or alcohol use or possession
- Harassment (depending on severity)
- Property damage
- Viewing pornography while in the Career Center

## **IMPORTANT**

Staff witnessing the infraction are required to complete an incident report and should file with their supervising manager or NCWorks Manager within 24 hours.